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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims section which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

A new Reissue Application Declaration By The Inventor (8 pages) is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.